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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.
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Mail Stop Amendment
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment dated August 9, 2007, please consider:

1. Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.